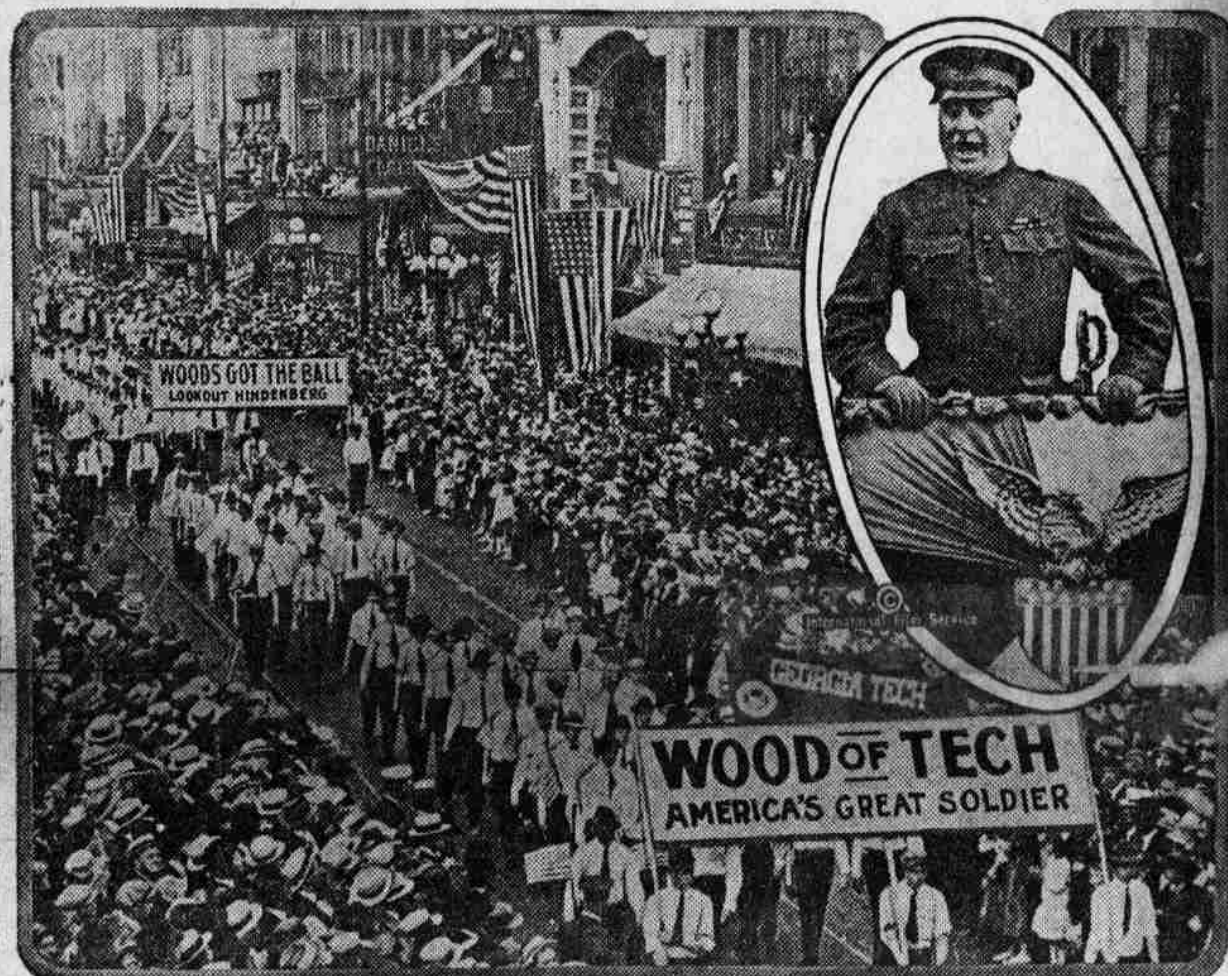


1—New rapid-fire gun on board John Hays Hammond's boat Natalie, which has been converted into a submarine chaser. 2—Shells for the famous French 75s stacked beside a railroad ready to be rushed to the front. 3—The new four-masted wooden schooner Nancy Hanks being launched at Thomaston, Me.; she will be a submarine blockade runner. 4—Japanese cruiser Azuma arriving at San Francisco with the body of George W. Guthrie, late ambassador to Japan.

### GENERAL WOOD IS WELCOMED BY ATLANTA



Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, arriving in Atlanta to take command of the department of the Southeast, was accorded a rousing welcome. The illustration shows the parade of the students of the Georgia School of Technology, which General Wood once attended, and, inserted, the general addressing the great crowd at the flag-raising in his honor.

### GUARDING THE STORM-WRECKED TOWNS



To prevent looting and other crimes in the Illinois towns struck by the tornadoes, members of the National Guard were put on duty. One of them is shown here questioning a stranger. Above is a family cat that "came back" to the ruins of the only home it knew.

#### Eagle Attacks Deer.

Albert Baker, forest ranger at the Bingham Springs station in Oregon, reported an attack of a bald eagle upon a band of seven deer near his station. The eagle would swoop down on the deer and strike one of the animals with such force as to prostrate it. The ranger was unable to see the finish, as the deer escaped over the ridge. It is believed the animals escaped fatal injury by taking to the brush.

#### Home Economics.

Prof. Harry F. Rausch in a lecture at the University of Washington gave some hints about home economics, one of which was that foods in shallow pans cook more rapidly than in deep pans, thus saving gas. Another was that not a scrap of fat of any sort need be thrown away, but all should go into a double broiler and be tried out to use in frying or as shortening for pastry.

### WOOD'S SON A CAPTAIN

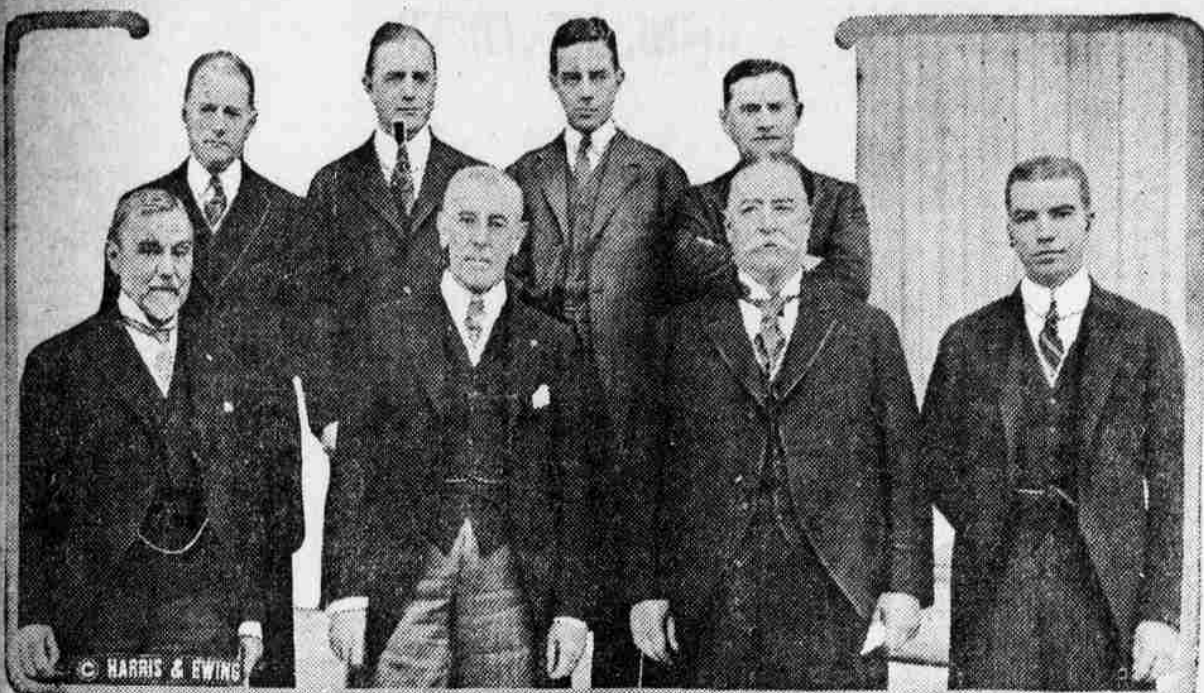


Capt. Osborne Wood, son of Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, commander of the Southeastern department, inspecting arms of a company of Harvard's regiment.

#### Fishing for Sharks.

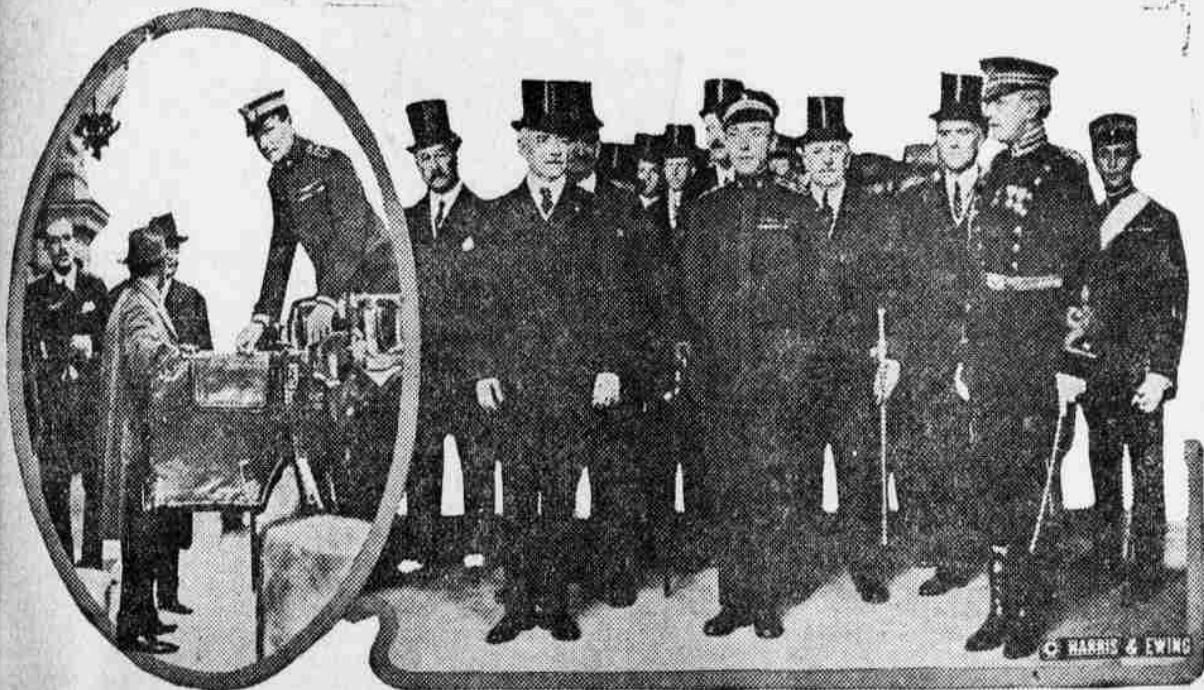
No section of the Atlantic seaboard will offer a better field for exploitation than the deep-sea fishing grounds directly off the Delaware capes. If Atlantic fishermen decide to take advantage of the proposal recently issued by the federal bureau of fisheries to the Pacific coast fishing fleets that they go into shark catching on a wholesale scale to furnish a new substitute for leather.

### RED CROSS OFFICERS AND WAR COUNCIL



Photograph taken at the first meeting of the officers and newly appointed war council at the American Red Cross. Left to right, front row, Robert W. DeForest, vice president; Woodrow Wilson, president of the Red Cross; former President William H. Taft, chairman of the executive committee; Elliott Wadsworth, actual executive head of the organization. Back row, Henry P. Davison, chairman of the war council; Grayson P. Murphy, Charles D. Norton and Edward N. Hurley, all members of the war council. Cornelius N. Bliss, Jr., the only other member of the council, is not present.

### ITALIAN WAR COMMISSION IN WASHINGTON



Members of the Italian war commission photographed in Washington. In the center is Prince Eugene of Udine, nephew of the king of Italy, with Secretary Lansing and Colonel Harts on either side of him. At the left is shown Senator William Marconi, the wireless inventor, leaving an automobile at the Letter home, where the commission is housed. Signor Marconi is a member of the commission.

### ADMIRAL HAMILTON



Admiral Hamilton is one of the best-known of Great Britain's naval officers.

### HEADS RED CROSS COUNCIL



Henry P. Davison, recently appointed chairman of the Red Cross war council, on his way to the Red Cross building in Washington.

### TRAINING THE NAVAL ROOKIE



Petty naval officer showing a young rookie how to load his rifle.

#### Accountant Honored.

Samuel Hardman Lever, widely known in the United States as an accountant, has been honored by the king with an appointment to the most honorable Order of the Bath, a decoration conferred for meritorious service to the country. Mr. Lever is now financial secretary to the treasury and formerly was assistant financial secretary to the ministry of munitions.

Although an Englishman, born in Liverpool, Mr. Lever lived nearly all his life in America. When war broke out he returned to England to "do his bit."

Tribute was paid to Mr. Lever's services by the head of the munition department, who said that he had saved the country "very many millions of pounds." It is said that all he has done has been without any monetary reward.

#### They Spared the Noncombatant.

Among a small party of war correspondents that recently visited the front at La Basse, France, was A. H. Griffith, who was private secretary to the late Lord Strathearn. He became exhausted, says W. G. Shepard in Everybody's Magazine, and he fell behind in full view of the German snipers.

They saw a large gentleman, dressed in golf costume, take off his golf cap, wipe the perspiration from his forehead, lean like an exhausted man against the pile of sandbags that formed the entrance to the trench, and settle himself contentedly for a rest. Mr. Griffith's unruffled body is testimony to the fact that the Germans "played cricket," as the English call it, that day. Scores of them had a chance to kill the man in the golf costume, but some Teutonic phrase ran along the line that gave him his life.